



State of New Jersey

DEPARTMENT OF LAW AND PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE BOARD OF VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINERS
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November 13, 1997

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VIA REGULAR AND CERTIFIED
MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Isabel Perez, DVM Plainfield Animal Hospital 2201 Park Avenue South Plainfield, New Jersey 07080

Re: Case Number 97-35

Pam and Dalbir Grewal

Dear Dr. Perez:

This is to advise you that the New Jersey State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners has had the opportunity to complete its review of the complaint filed by the above referenced, pertinent patient records and your testimony relating to this matter.

Upon review of all of the information presented, the Board found that you engaged in professional misconduct pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(e) in that you performed a necropsy without the expressed consent of the owners.

At this juncture, the Board has determined that the above violation warrants the initiation of formal disciplinary proceedings against you. Notwithstanding that finding however, the Board determined that it will first offer you an opportunity to settle this matter, and thereby avoid the initiation of formal disciplinary proceedings, should you consent to:

1. Pay a penalty in the amount of \$500.00 for the violation set forth above.

If you are willing to settle this matter on the offered settlement terms, you may do so by executing the attached form and returning it to the Board within ten (10) days together with your remittance made payable to the Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners in the amount of \$500.00 for civil penalty.

If you do not find this settlement acceptable, a contrinuation of the Board's investigative inquiry will be scheduled.

Very truly yours,

Dorcas K. O'Neal Executive Director

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C: Brenda Talbot Lewis, DAG

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CERTIFICATION

I have received the Board's letter dated November 13, 1997 regarding alleged violations of the Board's enabling act and/or Board regulations.

PLEASE CHECK ONE:

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The allegations set forth therein are acknowledged, and I enclose herewith a check of \$500.00 payable to the State of New Jersey.

- ☐ I hereby waive any right which I may have to a hearing in this matter and submit a written statement for the Board's final consideration in this matter.
- \square A hearing on this matter before the Board is hereby requested.

(Signature)

Dated:

(Print Name)